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Appl'n of: Mikami et al.

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Title: METHOD OF PREPARING A  
GUANOSINE-GROUP COMPOUND  
AND AN INTERMEDIATE THEREOF

Att'y Docket No: 10793-006-999  
(CAM: 903182-999005)

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated March 1, 2006, and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following remarks in the above-identified application.

No fee is believed to be due. Should any fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s) to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendment to the Claims** begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.